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Véronique FERRARI et al.

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**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Further to the telephone conference between the Examiner and the undersigned on November 13, 2002, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application and reexamination of the claims in view of the following amendment and remarks. Please amend the application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please substitute amended claim 15 as follows:

--15. (Twice Amended) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said repeating units comprising at least one non-pendant hetero atom are chosen from repeating units comprising hydrocarbon-based repeating units and silicone units

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